

# EMIL BØ



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## education

2021-2024	Norwegian university of nature and science Jazz bachelor
2020-2021	Norwegian Academy of Music, Jazzdepartment
2019-2020	Sund Folk Highschool, Jazzdepartment

## main projects

### NOT NORMAL

NOT NORMAL is inspired by the absurdities of everyday life and all sorts of strange expectations about what should be considered normal. Bø has gathered a group of extremely talented musicians who will interpret the music based on a blend of graphic scores, where traditional riffs open up possibilities for explosive and expressive melodies.

### ükya

ükya trio works in the field of improvised and open form music. Their own combination of rasping brass, stretched strings and singing bronze make way for an idiosyncratic expression within the expressive improv scene.

### KRISE

KRISE's expression has its beginnings in microtonal studies - The ensemble ventures into new territories by mixing intonation, microtonality, rock club vibes and Norwegian folk music in an innovative way, resulting in a fascinating and engaging listening experience. Experimenting with ideas from Ben Johnston, Harry Partch and Eivind Groven, they aim to foster a more complex yet captivating musical journey.

### Accept It

Accept It is an experimental free jazz quartet. The band plays a combination of freely improvised music and compositions with dogme concepts.

## awards

2023	Oslo Jazzfestival - USBL young talent award
2019	Sparebanken ØST - SPRANG talent award

## records

2024	<u><a href="#">We Come for an Experience of Presence by ükya</a></u>
2024	<u><a href="#">Brooks by BROOKS</a></u>
2023	<u><a href="#">Svartsymra by KRISE</a></u>
2023	<u><a href="#">SINT by Hilja</a></u>
2023	<u><a href="#">Zzz by LEAH</a></u>
2023	<u><a href="#">Red Tide by Three Souls</a></u>

## other highlights

Aug 2024	Oslo Jazzfestival with NOT NORMAL by Emil Bø
Aug 2024	Øya festival with Andreas Røysum Ensemble
Jul 2024	SHARE improfest Aarhusjazzfestival (DK)
Jun 2024	Circa teater 40 years anniversary
May 2024	Jazzfest TRD with NTNU Jazzensemble vs STARGATE
Apr 2024	KRISE Klub Impuls (SE)
Oct 2023	ükya Europe tour
Sep 2023	Accept It Brötzt (SE)
Aug 2023	Special Guest with Supersonic Orchestra (PT)
Aug 2022	XXL Large unit Paal Nilssen-Love at Oslo Jazzfestival

## courses

Jul 2024	International Jazzplattform Lodz Poland
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Aug 2021	Nakademiet by Nakama Records

## other

2022-	Curator of TBA concerts at Dokkhuset Scene Trondheim
2022-	Artisthost at Dokkhuset Scene
2022-	Lights - GrandMa2, GrandMa3
2021-2024	Boardleader of PØKK - Concertseries
2012-	Sound technician, Midas PRO2, Yamaha PM-series